ARRIVE Dec. 31 - Everybody about the Capitol to-day is wearing a look of anxiety. Men who have grown gray in the service of the State at fat salaries and with little work to do to-day are on the anxious seat as to how long their tenure of office will last. Even the act that the civil service protects many is no consolation. In departments where there have been hints and suspicions of things being done that should not have been done and things undone that should have been done there is not a little unrest

All are wondering whether it will be ion of the uncertainty that prevalled prior to the inauguration of Theo-dore Boosevelt as Governor in 1892. Then the air was charged with rumors of all sorts They went so far as to convey to the mind's sye the sight of certain officeholders wear-

ing prison stripes.

Mr. Hughes has not promised that he is going to put anybody in prison. But he has made promises to administer the laws of the State of New York in the interests of the whole promise and to endeavor to correct whatpeople and to endeavor to correct what-ever abuses that have existed. The officeholders are wondering just what Mr. Hughes regards as abuses, and whether or not they will have to disagree with him. The politicians who are arriving in

Albany are hanging about the corridors of the hotels, all awaiting with feverish impatience a summons to join Mr. Hughes at the Executive Mansion and discuss questions of state. But the invitation isn't forthcoming. Anybody who is known to have seen Mr. Hughes within the last week or two is eagerly seized and importuned:
"What's he like? Do you suppose he's

going to raise the deuce? Do you think we'll cut any ice?" Everyhody who has had the pleasure of an audience with the Governor-elect merely replies that Mr. Hughes appears to be all right, but nobody seems to be able to really size him up. The fact that the sage to the Legislature is known to have been printed and distributed to the caused more interest than anypress has caused more interest than any-thing else. The members of the Legisre and others who are interested in legislation can scarcely contain themselves until Wednesday, when they will be permitted to hear it read.

"What does he say about the Railroad n, the corporations, and what does he recommend in regard to the Insurance Department?" are some of the questions that they put to one another, and all shake their heads dolefully and say they will have to wait and see. And everybody is wondering who is to have the most influence with the newly elected Governor. In some circles it is not believed that the President will be able to away Mr. Hughes as fully as he has

his predecessors.

Preparations for the inauguration tomorrow have been completed. As a
special mark of respect William Barnee's
city administration has caused State street,
which leads to the Capitol, to be cleaned State street,
which leads to the Capitol, to be cleaned State street,
which the coldinar can march over it. that the soldiers can march over it. The members of Squadron A have arrived in Albany and are exciting considerable comment as they promenade in their hand-

The Second Battery of New York is also here, to fire the salute in honor of the new Governor. This is to be fired this year from Capitol Park, a special feature, for in the past the city authorities have compelled the salute to be fired from the river

Aside from the inauguration to-morrow caucuses of the two houses of the Legisla-ture, which will be held to-morrow night. The Republican Senators will choose Senator John Raines as president pro tem., and he will appoint the committees. Although the Democrats have an increased representation of five members over the last Senate, it is not at all likely that they will get intation of five members over the last Senate, it is not at all likely that they will get increased representation on any of the com-

mittees.

La Fayette B. Gleason will be reelected Clerk. The Assembly will choose James W. Wadsworth, Jr., as Speaker and Col. Archie E. Baxter of Elmira Clerk. Ray Smith of Syracuse, who wanted to be Clerk of the Assembly, will again be Col. Baxter's assistant. Sherman Moreland of Chemung is to be the majority leader on the floor of the Assembly.

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The Assemblymen feel very much relieved over the fact that they will have an entrance of their own to the Capitol this coming session, so that they will not have to leave and enter the Capitol by the same entrance as the Governor The Assembly staircase, which was said to be in danger of collapsing last winter, has been opened after having been made safe. The Assemblymen are also relieved to know that they will not have to sit in a chamber with the fear of a part of it falling down.

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The contractors have removed about 4,000 tons of granite from the main tower near the top of the Assembly staircase and have placed steel pillars, reenforced with stone, at the base of the staircase so that it does not look as if anything had been disturbed. But the most remarkable feat in connection with this, contract is 'at it has been done within half of the amount of the appropriation for that purpose, which is the first time anything like this has happened in the \$24,000,000 Capitol. Another unusual circumstance is that the work was completed on time.

To-night Senator John Raines, Acting Lieutenant-Governor, Speaker Wadsworth of the Assembly and Assemblymen Moreland and Merritt plucked up enough courage to go to the Executive mansion and visit Governor-elect Hughes. They were the only ones who seemed to have had that courage, although many would like to have had a chance to talk with him.

Gov. Higgins went to the Executive chamber this afternoon and remained there for a time, receiving some callers and disposing of matters that needed his attention. Afterward he went back to the Executive The Conty time Mr.

and disposing of matters that needed his attention. Afterward he went back to the Hotel Ten Eyck. The only time Mr. Hughes left the Executive mansion was to call on Gov. Higgins at his hotel. This he did at 5 o'clock this evening and remained with him for a half hour. It was only a social visit, being the courtesy always extended by the incoming to the outgoing

Gov. Higgins and Mr. Hughes will ride in the same carriage in the inaugural parade to-morrow morning. Gov. Higgins will leave Albany at 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon for his home in Olean. His physical condition has been the cause of siderable concern on the part of his nds, and to-night he was attended by physician, Dr. Samuel B. Ward. Mr. Higgins will go either to Europe or to the Bermudas shortly to recuperate. To-night he attended a dinner at the Fort Orange Club, tandered him by his military staff.

WHALEN TAKES THE OATH. New Secretary of State Says His Office

Hours Will Be From 9 to 5 o'clock. ALBANY, Dec. 31.-Secretary of State John S. Whalen took the oath of office today. Hugh Hackett of Rochester and A. Fitzgerald, two of Mr. Whalen's deputies, were present. Mr. Hackett is a lifelong friend of the new Secretary of State. Mr. Neville, Mr. Whalen's private secretary, announced that as Secretary Whalen has been a hard working man all of his life, and as he is used to it, he will strictly live up to the rule relating to office hours. He will be at his desk every morning at 9 o'clock, and will be on duty every day in the week until 5 o'clock.

Secretary of State Whalen made known to the present employees of his

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effice that they need not worry about having to vacate for probably a month. Mr. Whalen feels that as he and all of his appointees are entirely unfamiliar with the duties of their new offices it would not be for the good of the services of the old employees until after the new men become familiar with the routine work of the office.

FRANCE WON'T LOOK AHEAD.

NEWSPAPER TALK ALL OF THE YEAR THAT IS GONE.

Truce in Discussion of Church Question.**

CAN'T ATTEND INAUGURATION. Major-Gen. Roe Will Be Represented by

Gen. George M. Smith. ALBANY, Dec. 31 .- Major-Gen. Charles F. Roe, commanding the National Guard, will be unable to attend the Governor's inauguration to-morrow. He sent word to Adjt .-Gen. Henry to-day that as he had not recovered fully from his filness, which was recovered fully from his filness, which was caused by a serious case of ptomaine poisoning, his physician had advised that it would be injudicious for him to attempt to come to Albany. Gen. Roe will be represented at the inauguration by Brig.-Gen. George Moore Smith, commander of the First Brigade of New York city, who will be attended by the members of Gen. Roe's staff. Announcement was also made that Capt. Jacob W. Miller, commandant of the State Naval Militia, would be represented at the inaugur-Militia, would be represented at the inauguration by Lieutenant-Commander Alfred D. Fry, chief of staff.

HEAD BROKE IN TUNNEL FIGHT. Pole Hit With Shovel Far Under River-Ac-

eldent, Say Companions. Five men were working night before last in a chamber of the New York and New Jersey tunnel out under the North River beyond Morton street. John Lupiding, one of the men, was nearly killed with blows from a hand shovel. The police suspect that the men had a brawl about the tunnel furnace and fought with

Policeman Broderick, who investigated he matter, went into the tunnel and found he injured man lying on coats in a corner with his head smashed. He said that he

with his head smashed. He said that he was John Lupiding, a Pole, and that he lived at 221 Grand street. Hoboken. He managed to intimate that he had been hit on the head with a shovel. The other three men who were with him said that it was an accident. They all denied that they had seen the Pole get hurt.

The policeman then held Lupiding up in his arms and he pointed to Christopher Lynch as his assailant. Lynch denied it, but was put under arrest. The other men were held as witnesses. They were James Hunt of 77 Morton street, James Gerr of 107 Perry street and James McArdel of 584 Washington street, the same address as Lynch's. McArdel admitted that there was a fifth man missing from the gang. He could not give the man's exact address, but said that his name was Coburn, and that he lived in Houston street. Coburn, he explained, had left the lock a few minutes before to get something to eat. Coburn did not come back while the police were on the premises.

The injured man looked as if he had been

beaten down after a hard fight. He is a heavyweight and fit to hold his own. Lynch, it is said, used to be an athlete and football player of some note in the Irish-American Athletic Club. Coburn was said to be of much the same build as the other two. The excess of oxygen stimulus in the pressure chambers makes men flare up, without warning, who are even tempered enough

warning, who are even tempered enough in the everyday air.

To get the wounded man back to the surface was a problem. He had fallen back into a faint. An ambulance came from St. Vincent's Hoepital, with Dr. Eyenson. A stretcher was sent down. In this Lupiding was laid. He was fitted into the airlock like a parcel and pumped up to the surface. The doctors at St. Vincent's were in doubt whether the man's skull was fractured.

THIEF CAUGHT AFTER CHASE. Voman Whose Flat He Robbed Tackled Him-Bluecoat a Good Sprinter.

Harry Beck was arrested early last night after he had ransacked a flat in West Eightyninth street. Mrs. Mary Knaupt, who lives on the second floor of an apartment house Beck when she entered her home at dinner time. She tackled him, but he got away from her and dashed out to the street.

With Mrs. Knaupt at his heels, soreaming, Beck headed westward and galloped into West End avenue. There he bowled over Policeman McCormack, who regained his feet and showed he was a good sprinter. He chased the youth in and out of areaways and finally collared him after a dash of a block along Riverside Drive.

Beck was taken to the West Sixty-eighth street station house and locked up. When he was searched a new fangled jimmy, said to be quite up to date by the police, was found on him, as was a newly devised skeleton tweezer that is very fine at turning keys on the inside of a lock when the turner is on the outside. * 250 West Eighty-ninth street, ran across

PERSIANS DON'T LIKE SENATE. Excitement in National Assembly Whe

New Constitution Was Read. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. TEHERAN, Dec. 31 .- The constitutional uestion was not solved by the signing of the Constitution by the Shah and the Crown Prince yesterday. The Constitution was read aloud in the National Assembly, which objected to the proposed composition of

the Senate. There was much excitement. The members of the Assembly are now negotiating with the Cabinet to get the Constitution

Lady Burdett-Coutts to Lie in Westminster Abbey.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, Dec. 31.-The funeral of Lady Burdett-Coutts will be held on January 5. The remains will be interred in Westminster

NEW YORK

Truce in Discussion of Church Questio and Even the Priests Cheerful-Set tlement in Merocco Improves Sitnation-Socialists Are

Special Cable Despatch to TRE SUN.
PARIS, Dec. 31.—An acute observer was asked to-day for a short resume of the French outlook. Perhaps it is singular, he remarked, but practically all the Paris ournals devote themselves to-day to look ing back on the year that has expired rather than to making forecasts for the year to

It is held that France is better off than she was at the beginning of 1906, largely through the settlement of the Morocco question, but the Temps points out that to insure real serenity it is necessary that the people count not only on their allies but on themselves. In other words, only readiness for war insures peace, and the republic, more than other countries, should place itself beyond peradventure in this

The Liberté says that more sorrowful years have passed, but 1906 will be buried with a muddy taste.

The Humanite, on behalf of the Socialists, looks backward and forward equally without regret or misgivings, but rather with hope and confidence. It says that the Socialists' finances are in excellent shape and that 1907 will be a year of international progress. This means, of course, for the

Odd as it may seem, the papers which consider the year past and the new year's outlook have next to nothing to say regarding the Church question. As if by common accord the journals refrain from troubling leaders with the solemn antagonisms of faith and unbelief at a time when the new year festivities are engaging the attention of everybody. Even the priests walk the streets to-day with hearty smiles; though during the last few weeks they have worn sorrowful miens. Is it because the Church's position has improved or is it due to the season in which Frenchmen rejoice from habit?

When many functionaries were gathered to-day at the Hotel de Ville, M. Lepine, Prefect of Police, addressing the Municipal Council, said:

"I was not born in Paris, but have lived here during my period of productive activity, the only time in one's existence which counts. I have the religion of the were on the premises.

The injured man looked as if he had been beaten down after a hard fight. He is a freezide. You gentlemen represent faithhousehold gods, of the lares which have You, gentlemen, represent faithfully the Parisien population, with its passions, its generosities, its living spirit. It is one of the reasons which explains the bond which attaches me to you in this seasonal time."

In the address of M. Lepine is summed up more of the spirit in which France appears to look forward to the new year than can be found either in print or in common conversation upon the religious crisis, which once would have been regarded as determining in itself the loss or salvation of the country's eternal soul. After to-morrow, no doubt, serious discussion will be resumed.

TAX ON ESCUTCHEONS. Rumanian City Puts Check on Nobility' Effort to Resurrect Itself.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. VIENNA, Dec. 31.-There is a tendency among the aristocrats of Rumania aiming to reinstate the Rumanian nobility, abolshed in 1866. The main result thus far is that the city council of Braila has decided to impose a luxury tax on all aristocratio emblems and coats of arms publicly displayed on carriage doors and harness. Other cities will follow example.

POPE TO FRANZ JOSEF. Hopes the Sun of Justice Will Rise Through

Prevailing Tempest. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.
VIENNA, Dec. 31.—Replying to the New Year congratulations of the Archbishop of Vienna, the Pope telegraphed: "Considering the fatal tempest in human society, which has placed Catholics in their present lamentable position, thy wishes that the sun of justice shall rise, have much touched the beliefing the place of Peters Manual Catholics and Peters us, holding the place of Peter. May the infant Jesus render thy wishes success-

NO VATICAN APPEAL FOR FUNDS. neous Contributions Will Be Used by

the Pope as He Thinks Best. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. ROME, Dec. \$1 .- THE SUN correspondent s authorized to deny that the Vatican will make an appeal to Catholics to help the French clergy by contributions. But considerable spontaneous offerings, amounting already to \$14,000, have reached the editor of the Biwotla Catholica, the organ of the Jesuits, who will hand the money over as Peter's Pence, and leave the disposal of it with the Pope.

Madrid Military Club Robbed. Special Conte Despatch to THE SUN.

MADRID, Dec. 31.—An embezzlement amounting to \$56,000 has been discovered at the Military Club. The treasurer has been missing since December 10.

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MAYOR BOUNGING MURPHY MEN

EVEN OLD PAT KEENAN MAY BAVE TO WALK THE PLANK.

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Water Department Going to Lose Goodwin and Prendergast—Has Already Lost Kennedy and Dalton—Murphy's Nephew Retires From the Finance Department.

When Mayor McClellan returns from Princeton to-morrow the probability is that he will have some New Year changes to announce which will involve the dropping of at least two Tammany district leaders who after seemingly siding with the Mayor in his refusal to recognize the Tammany Hall leadership of Charles F. Murphy voted at last Thursday's meeting of the executive committee in favor of Murphy's resolution to leave Ahearn of the Seventeenth, Williams of the Nineteenth and Nagle of the Thirtieth hung up with their seats in the committee vacant The two leaders who according to predictions made yesterday will be called upon to resign are Deputy Commissioner Frank J. Goodwin of the Department of

Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and Joseph F. Prendergast, secretary of the same department. Goodwin is the Tammany leader of the Seventh Assembly district, and Prendergast balves with George F. Scannell the leadership of the Twentyfifth. There was also a report that City Chamberlain Patrick Keenan, whose job is worth \$15,000 a year, will also be asked to retire. A few weeks ago Mr Keenan re-signed his leadership of the Sixth district rather than declare himself for either the Mayor or Murphy. He, however, named his successor, Benjamin Hoffman, and the understanding at the time was that Hoffman could be depended on to support the Mayor. But Hoffman last week voted with

For many years the Sullivans have dominated the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. The department has been full of men recommended by them. When Mayor McClellan named William B. Ellison, now Corporation Counsel, to sucoeed John T. Oakley as Water Commis ioner it was reported that Mr. Ellison's name had been suggested by the Sullivans. Saturday last Commissioner O'Brien fired twenty-one Sullivan corporation tax spectors, and it is understood to be the

inspectors, and it is understood to be the intention of the Commissioner to lop off the heads of other Sullivan men who hold exempt places in the department.

Commissioner O'Brien asked yesterday for the resignations of James Kennedy, secretary to Deputy Commissioner Goodwin, salary \$3,000, and of John J. Dalton, cashier in the Water Register's office, salary \$2,500. Mr. Kennedy comes from Goodwin's district and the place was created for him at the request of Mr. Goodwin. Dalton is a nephew of William J. Dalton, half leader of the Ninth district and Commissioner of Public Works under Borough President Ahearn. The uncle was one of the district leaders holding jobs under the administration who voted with the Murphy forces. The resignation of John J. Murphy, an

amining inspector in the bureau of ies of the Finance Department, was he "plies of the Finance Department, was handed to Comptroller Metz yesterday. Murphy is a nephew of Charles F. Murphy. Mr. Metz refused to discuss the matter yesterday except to say that he thought Mr. Murphy had resigned to get a transfer to some other department. Asked to what department Mr. Metz didn't know: Charles L. O'Reilly, who comes from the Eighteenth district, of which Commissioner Coggey is leader, resigned yesterday as an inspector in the Department of Accounts.

Some of the leaders who voted with Murphy last week are beginning to feel annoyed. Several of them called at Tammany Hall yesterday to see the "chief," but Mr. Murphy was not in town. Mr. Murphy has promised some of his men that if any of them lost their jobs by sticking to him they would be taken care of by the Democratic heads of the State departments. William J. Conners, chairman of the Democratic State committee, similarly promised his friends after the election that he would find places for similarly promised his friends after the election that he would find places for them. An amusing story was told at the Victoria Hotel a few nights ago of the result of one effort made by Mr. Conners

sult of one effort made by Mr. Conners to dictate the State appointments. It was related that Chairman Conners had handed a list of names to Secretary of State Whalen and asked Mr. Whalen to appoint the men named on the list. Mr. Whalen demurred. Mr. Conners insisted and added: "Your political future depends on it."

"My political future, you say, Why, I have no political future," Mr. Whalen is said to have replied. "I'll serve my two years in office and that is all I ever expect to get out of the party. At the end of the two years I shall be back at my own work, and while I have the opportunity I expect to do something for my own friends and not yours."

own friends and not yours."

Mr. Whalen appointed his brother as his first deputy and appointed personal friends to every job he had to give away.

TOO SMALL TO CONSIDER.__ Senator McCarren's Friends' Opinion of th

Kings County Democratic Party. The action of Senator Patrick H. McCarren in securing an order to show cause why the sub-committee of the Democratio State committee should not be enjoined from further proceeding with the trial of the leader of the Kings county Democracy has caused the leaders of the Kings county Democratic party, who made the charges of heresy against the Senator, to stop and consider just where they are at.

Several leaders of the anti-McCarren party conferred with their counsel yesterday, but were unable to ascertain whether day, but were unable to ascertain whether they had been made a party to the injunction order or whether they came in the proceedings in any way. One of Senator McCarren's friends said that the Senator and his counsel were dealing with the Democratic State committee, which belonged to the organization, and did not for one second give a passing thought to the Kings county Democratic party, which was not in any way part of the organization, and which was too small to even be considered.

The argument on the motion will be heard by Supreme Court Justice Kelly on Satur-day morning. The order to show cause acts as a stay and the hearing of the sub-committee set down for Thursday will not

JOB FOR BROOKLYN MAN. James G. Hill Appointed Special Deputy

State Engineer. ALBANT, Dec. 31.-State Engineer and Surveyor Skene to-day appointed James G. Hill of Brooklyn as Special Deputy State Engineer in charge of the barge canal construction work. He succeeds H. C. Allen of Syraouse. The salary is \$5,000 a year. Mr. Hill is a Democrat, but is not in official

Mr. Skene announced that the new division engineer for the western division vision engineer for the western division would come from either Rochester or Buffalo, and would be appointed probably tomorrow morning. Later on State Engineer Skene will appoint a member of the Independence League as First Deputy State Engineer; to replace Deputy Van Hoesen, who has charge of road construction and the general work of the State Engineer's department.

The appointment of James G. Hill by The appointment of James G. Hill by State Engineer Skene as a special deputy at \$5,000 a year was a surprise to the regular Democrats in Brooklyn, and Senator McCarren said that he did not know anything about him. Mr. Hill, it was learned, had been active in the Independence League in the Second Assembly district, and it was rumored that he got the \$5,000 job through the influence of the Chanlers of Dutchess county

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every inmate of Snug Harbor, has received a certain quantity of tobacco each month and no questions were asked as to what he did with it. and no questions were asked as to what he did with it.

Recently information reached Gov. Delehanty that a considerable number of old sailors who do not use tobacco in any form were turning their monthly allowance into money by peddling the tobacco outside of the institution among the villagers, and in this way were able to pay for grog. Gov. Delehanty conferred with the board of trustees and as a result an order has been issued discontinuing tobacco to all inmates who do not use it. These have been notified to make a New Year's call on Gov. Delehanty to-day, when they will be asked to sign a paper setting forth that they do not use tobacco and consequently do not require it. It is understood that the usual allowance of tobacco will be continued to the other inmates.

OBITUARY.

Miss Clara Eaton Cummings, Hunnewell professor of cryptogamic botany at Wellesley College, died in Concord, N. H., after an illness of several months. Prof. Cummings has been to a peculiar degree identified with the history of the college which she loyally served. Entering as a student in 1878, a year after the opening of Wellesley, she showed so marked a talent for the study of botany, especially for the identification of cryptogamic flora, that she was retained as a permanent member of that department of study, bearing the title of curator of the maseum, 1878-79, instructor in botany, 1879-86. After a period of study in Zurich, Miss Cummings returned to the college as associate professor of cryptogamic botany. In 1905 she became Hunnewell professor of botany, with temporary charge of the department. In 1906 her title was changed to that of Hunnewell professor of cryptogamic botany.

Postmaster William L. Doremus of Montelair, N. J., died yesterday at his home there. He was appointed postmaster in July, 1903, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of his predecessor, George A. Van Gieson, and in December of that year he was reappointed for a full term of four years. He was a native of Montclair and son of Postmaster John C. Doremus, appointed by: President Lincoln. He was his father's assistant, and upon the death of the latter he removed to Montreal, Canada, to return a year later and enter the employment of Samuel Wilde & Son of this city. His wife, who was Miss Margaret Kingon of New York, survives him, with two daughters, Mrs. Charles Roesner and Miss Jennie Doremus.

Gen. John W. Barrigar, U. S. A., retired,

Jennie Doremus.

Gen. John W. Barrigar, U. S. A., retired, died suddenly of heart disease yesterday at Asbury Park, N. J. Gen. Barrigar's position on one of the depot benches attracted bystanders, who, upon lifting his head, found he was dead. He was born in Kentucky seventy-five years ago and was graduated from West Point in 1858. He joined the Army of the Potomac and was brevetted Captain at Bull Run for bravery. After several promotions he was made Brigadier-General at the close of the war. He was retired for age in 1898. He leaves a widow, one son, Lieut. William S. Barrigar, stationed in Cuba, and a daughter, Miss May H. Barrigar.

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Mrs. M. J. Evans, widow of William Evans, died on Saturday at the residence of her niece, Mrs. John Phillips, of this city. Mrs. Evans was well known in Jersey City. She leaves three sons, W. T. Evans of Montclair, Capt. James R. Evans of Port Hope, Canada, and Alfred G. Evans of Madigon, N. J. The funeral services will be held at the Church of the Holy Communion, Sixth avenue and Twentieth street, this afternoon, and the interment will be at Bay View Cemetery, Jersey City.

Jersey City.

Isaac Read, president of a phosphate company at 18 Exchange place, Manhattan, died yesterday at his home, 110 Hicks street, Brooklyn. He was 73 years old, and was a native of Charlotte county, va. He served in the Confederate Army as Major throughout the civil war. He came to New York and went into business twenty-five years ago. His wife, one son and one daughter survive him.

him.

Capt. Ambrose M. Matthews, who died on Saturday at his home, 93 Berkeley place, Brooklyn, in his seventieth year, was a civil war veteran and had been State Commander of the G. A. R. of New Jersey. He was the first president of the Second National Bank of Orange, N. J. He leaves a widow, son and two daughters.

and two daughters.

Mrs. Anna H. Durant, widow of Joseph Durant, died yesterday at Whitehouse, N. J., aged 88. She was the last survivor of those who formed the First Methodist Church of Whitehouse, she and her husband, with two other couples, having started the meeting in 1844 which resulted in the organization of the church.

Dr. Joseph W. Glynn died on Sunday at his home, 161 Stratford road, Flatbush, in his thirty-seventh year. He was graduated in 1824 from the Long Island College Hospital and his practice had been in South Brooklyn and the Flatbush district. He was formerly a member of the Kings County Medical Society.

Add leks's Newport Estate Sold Under th Nawport, R. I., Dec. 31 .- The Newport estate of J. Edward Addicks was bought up this afternoon by the Savings Bank of Newport, the holder of the mortgage on the property. The purchase price was \$43,370. The bank was the only bidder. The estate was formerly the summer home of Mr. Addicks and is one of the handsomest

> Perils of Travel. From the Rochester Herald.

A number of railway men were once dis ussing the question of accidents.
"The roads in Scotland," said one official, "used to have a bad name, indeed, in respect to accidents. No one thought of embarking on a railway journey unless he had provided self with an accident policy of insurance. "The famous Dr. Norman Macleod was

"The famous Dr. Norman Macleod was once about to set off on a long journey through the Scotch country. Just as the train was pulling out the clergyman's servant put his head in through the window and said:

"Ha'e ye ta'en an insurance ticket, sir?"

"Thave, replied the doctor.

"Then, replied the servant, write ye'er name on it and gi'e it to me. They ha'e an 'awful habit of robbin' the corpses on this line."

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the White Star Line Steamship Company

at Piers 48 and 49, North River, against

reduction of wages from 30 to 25 cents an

hour will begin to-day. The checkers

check off the cargo when a ship comes

into port and, unlike the clerical force,

are paid by the hour. In case of the arrival

Studebaker Bros. Sell 83,000,000 New

Bonds.

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.-Studebaker Bros

Manufacturing Company has sold to the

First National Bank and the Merchants

Loan and Trust Company a new issue of

\$3,000,000 first mortgage 5 per cent. gold

bends dated January 1, 1907. The proceeds will be applied to retire the \$2,000,000 bonds dated April 1, 1903 (of which \$1,475,

000 are now outstanding), which bonds have been called, and to furnish additiona

working capital to provide for the increase

dially offer

WOMEN'S WAISTS of fine lawn; front with fine tucks and two wide insertions of scalloped edge embroid-ery; also similar style of fine black batiste; sleeves finished with large

At 1.79.

At 1.98. WOMEN'S WAISTS of lawn; yoke of Val. lace insertion, or with embroidered panel front; also of dotted Swiss, trimmed with embroidery; collars and trimed with embroidery; collars and trime front of embroidery and tucks;

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BUSINESS NOTICES. Mrs. Winalow's Soothing Syrup for childred teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammationallays pain, cures wind coite, diarrhose, 25c. a bottle O our patrons we DIED. owe the pleas-BENJAMIN.—At her residence, in this city, on Dec. 30, 1908, Mary Brouwer Western, widow of Park Benjamin, in the Sist year of her age. Funeral at the Church of the Ascension, 5th aw, ure with which

> BLANCHARD.—At Montclair, N. J., Dec. 35, 1908, at the home of her son-in-law, George L. Benedict, Frances A. Dater, daughter of the late, Jacob Dater and widow of Herman Alexander Blanchard. Funeral services at Earle's Memorial Chapet, Oakwood Cemetery, Troy, N. Y., on Tuesday, Jan. 1, at 2:30 P. M. Interment Troy, N. Y.

and 10th st., on Wednesday, Jan. 2, at 10:2

Troy papers please copy. BROWN.-In Jersey City, on Saturday, Dec. 16. at her residence, 539 Bramhall av., Anna Thomas, widow of Thomas C. Brown. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 2, at 11 A. M., at 525 Bramhall av., Jersey

City. Kindly omit flowers. COOK.—Suddenly, Saturday evening, Dec. 29, as his residence, 134 East 37th st., Edward Mitchell Cook, in the 73d year of his age. Funeral services at residence on Wednesday, Jan. 2, at 11 o'clock. Interment private.

EVANS .- On Monday, Dec. 31, Carrie M., wife of Norman H. Evans, at her late residence, 92 Decatur st., Brooklyn, N. Y. Funeral services at residence Wednesday as 8 P. M. Interment private. EVANS.-On Saturday, Dec. 29, Maria Jane, widow

of William Evans, in her 86th year. Funeral services on Tuesday, Jan. 1, at 1 P. M., at the Church of the Holy Communion, still av. and 30th st. Kindly omit flowers. GLYNN .- On Dec. 30, at 161 Stratford road, Flat-

bush, Joseph W. Glynn, M. D., son of Thom C. and Frances T. Glynn, in his 37th year. Funeral at convenience of family. MATTHEWS.—As his residence, 98 Berkley sw.; Orange, N. J., on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1809, Capt, Ambrose M. Matthews. Ambrose of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion, Grand Army of the Republic and other friends are respectfully invited to at-tend the funeral services at the Hiliside Ave-nue Presbyterian Church, Orange, N. J., on Tuesday, January 1, at 10-39 A. M. Interment

at the convenience of the family MURRAY.—At his residence, 8 Clark st., Brook-iyn, on Sunday, Dec. 30, 1908, of pneumonia, Lindley Murray, Jr., in the sist year of his

Funeral services at the Church of the Holy Trinity, corner of Clinton and Montague sts., Brook-lyn, on Wednesday, Jan. 2, at 2 P. M. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

of vessels they are very busy and a strike would delay the activery of the cargo. A representative of the White Star company representative of the white star company said last evening:

"It is true that the superintendent at the piers was notified that the pay was to be reduced five cents an hour beginning January 1. We believe that 25 cents an hour is enough for the work. The men READ.-On Monday, Dec. 31, 1906, Isaac Read, at his residence, 110 Hicks st., Brooklyn. Notice of funeral hereafter.

we do not regard as on our regular payroll, as they are employed only when they are needed." TERHUNE.—On Sunday, Dec. 30, 1906, at her residence, in Matawan, N. J., Margaret Little. wife of William L. Terhune.
Funeral from her late residence on Wednesday,
Jan. 2, 1907, at 2:30 P. M. Relatives and friends needed."

The White Star liner Teutonic is due here to-day with a general cargo. The checkers say that their work is expert work and that the wages they were receiving were as little as they could live on.

WHITE.—On Sunday, Dec. 30, after a severe m-ness, Jonah H. White, Eastern passenger agent ness Jonah H. White, Eastern passenger agent of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, in the 77th year of his age. Funeral services at his late residence, 150 West 85th st., on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 1.

at 5 o'clock. Interment at Alexandria, Va., 10 A. M., Wednesday. Kindly omit flowers Southern papers please copy.

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